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HOGS DURING BREEDING TIME

Of Much Importance That Sow Should Be in Good Flesh to Produce Healthy Litter of Pigs.

Sows eight months old or over may be bred, if strong and vigorous, for spring farrow, but gilts that are younger than this had best not produce their first litter until next fall. In order that a sow may produce a strong, healthy litter of pigs it is important, according to Swine Breeder, not only that she be fed well during pregnancy, but that she be in fairly strong flesh for several weeks previous to the time of breeding. It is stated by those who know that a sow which is gaining rapidly in flesh just before breeding is more likely to produce a large, healthy litter. To secure this condition in sows we would gradually increase the grain ration during the period extending from three weeks to a month before breeding time. We do not mean that a sow should be fat at breeding time, but merely that she should be in her most vigorous condition.

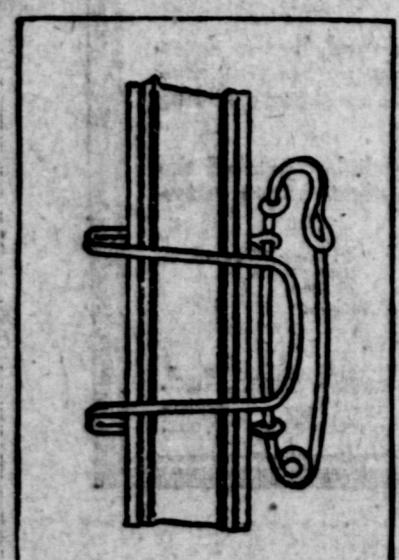
A boar is not at his best until he is two or three years of age. He may be used on a few sows when 8 or 9 months of age, and he should not be put into heavy service until two years or more of age. One service a day is plenty for the average boar. Feed for the boar should be such as will keep him in the strongest and most vigorous condition. Three parts of corn, one part of shorts, and one-third of a part of tankage, with skim milk, if available, makes a splendid ration for both boar and sows. He should be given a lot to himself, or with barrows, where he can secure plenty of exercise and yet not bother the sows.

If it is necessary to buy a boar, this should be done at least three weeks before the breeding season, and the newly purchased animal kept by himself. This is a simple precaution to avoid introducing lice and possibly disease into the herd. While being kept by himself the boar should be thoroughly washed with dip every ten days.

CLIP FOR A HORSE BLANKET

Little Device Saves Animal Much Suffering When Cover Is Blown Off During Severe Weather.

No matter how carefully a man may blanket his horse, the wind or the animal's own restlessness may cause the cover to be either blown off or thrown off. The horse then suffers from the cold and the blanket is trampled on and torn. But along comes a Pennsylvania man with a simple little fixture that prevents any such mishap.



Horse Blanket Clip.

A piece of wire is bent into a hook that opens upward. At the top is a large safety pin by which the device can be fastened to the blanket in an instant, or it can be left fastened. All that need be done, then, to keep the cover on is to hook the wire under the breeching strap, and no matter how hard the wind blows or how much the horse stamps and switches his tail, there it will stay until the owner unhook it.

A Lucrative Investment.

The hog is a valuable aid to fertilizing land and pays a good return on the crops he consumes. He will devour large quantities of inferior fruit or waste grain and vegetables, which are not otherwise marketable. He will thus yield a profit on what might otherwise be wasted. The yearly increase in young pigs keeps the supply rapidly increasing from a small beginning. He is a lucrative investment. The secret of success in farming, as in other industries, lies in finding a use for everything. There is no reason why such products as are the waste of the orchard should be thrown away. There is a use for everything on the farm if the farmer will but seek until he finds it, and the hog is a great help in putting all sorts of feed to a profitable use.

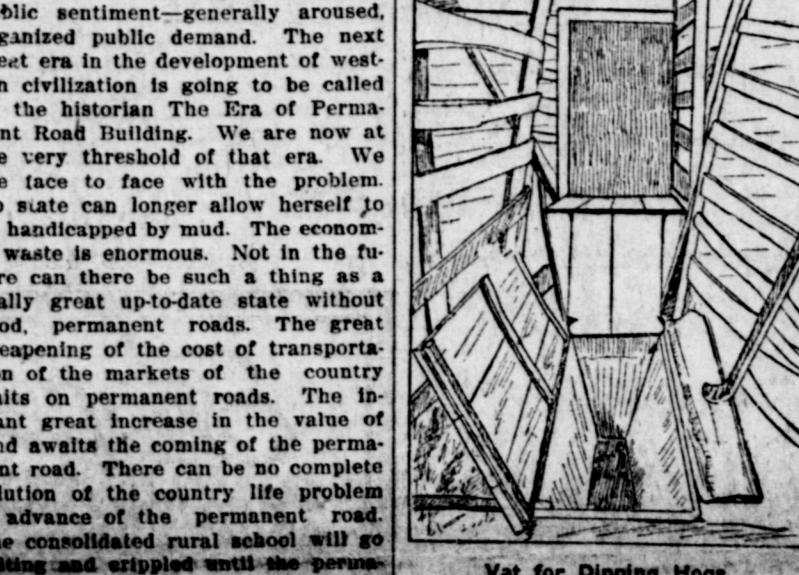


DISCUSSION OF GOOD ROADS

Most That Has Been Accomplished in Thirty Years in Iowa Is Sentiment—Face Problem.

Gov. George W. Clarke, in a message to the Iowa legislature, touching on good roads, said:

"For thirty years the discussion of the good roads problem has been going on in the state. Many of the governors of the state within that time have called attention to the question and some of them have urged constructive legislation. Some progress has been made both in the way of better laws and in the improvement of the highways, but the most that has been accomplished is an aroused public sentiment in favor of better roads—perhaps in favor of permanent roads. Iowa will have permanent roads whenever she wants them. She will have better rural schools whenever she wants them. She will not have either before. Legislation awaits public sentiment—generally aroused, organized public demand. The next great era in the development of western civilization is going to be called by the historian The Era of Permanent Road Building. We are now at the very threshold of that era. We are face to face with the problem. No state can longer allow herself to be handicapped by mud. The economic waste is enormous. Not in the future can there be such a thing as a really great up-to-date state without good, permanent roads. The great cheapening of the cost of transportation of the markets of the country waits on permanent roads. The instant great increase in the value of land awaits the coming of the permanent road. There can be no complete solution of the country life problem in advance of the permanent road. The consolidated rural school will go holding and skipping until the permanent road passes the door. This is an ideal that will be realized in the future. How far distant it is depends upon the people of the state. This general assembly ought, it seems to me, to take hold of the problem with the end in view to ultimately realize this ideal. Nothing could contribute more to the greatness of the state and the welfare of all of the people. All that is done hereafter in the improvement of our roads ought to be with the view of permanency. Permanent culverts and bridges, permanent systems of drainage, permanent establishment of grades—all with the view of eventually receiving the permanent road. With this purpose in view the law should provide for the appointment of a county engineer. He should be thoroughly competent and not necessarily a resident of the county where appointed. There should also be created a permanent highway commission, composed of expert road men and engineers with such powers and duties in the way of the preparation of plans and specifications, estimates of costs, advertising for bids and general supervision and control as may after careful consideration be deemed wise. I can see no reason why provision should not be made for a referendum to the people of the question as to whether bonds of the state should be issued for the purpose of raising money for permanent road building. It would not incur a great expense to determine whether or not the people are ready to enter upon this work which would add more than anything else to the greatness of the state, and it would at least be of great value in causing universal discussion of the subject which must always precede any movement involving the change of long established methods and of thought. In the meantime our road laws, which now exist in a disconnected and patchwork form should be revised, rewritten and strengthened for the purpose of securing the best possible temporary roads and for devising methods of administration looking to the coming of the permanent road. Selfish interests clinging to old methods and advantages, may be found in covert opposition. Permit me to suggest that you look carefully to this, as I know you will, to the end that private interests may not prevail against the common good."



Vat for Dipping Hogs.

provided the sleeping quarters are thoroughly cleaned and disinfected. In dipping to kill lice, the coal-tar dips of the creosoline type are better than lime and sulphur. If the hog walls are kept well filled with water, to which some of the creosoline dips are added every ten days, the swine will usually free themselves from the lice. Another good way of combating the parasites is to tie gunny sacks or other coarse cloths around rubbing posts and keep these saturated with crude petroleum.

There are many coal-tar "dips" on the market. They are made from the products of the distillation of coal tar and have a variety of trade names. Creosoline is one of these preparations. They are all dark-colored liquids with a strong coal-tar odor and when mixed with water form a milky white or slightly brownish emulsion. We have tried several kinds with excellent results. Practically all drugists have these dips, but we would advise using a dip made by a well-known and reliable firm. These dips should be used at the strength of one part of the dip to forty or fifty parts of water. If rain water is obtainable it is preferred to "hard" water. These dips should be used warm.

There should be a dipping vat on every hog farm. They may be made of wood, galvanized iron or cement.

They are set in the ground at a convenient place so that there is good surface drainage away from the vat.

A good size for a large vat is ten feet long on top, eight feet long on the bottom, and two feet wide on top.

The end where the hogs enter should be perpendicular and the other end inclined, with cleats, so that the hogs can emerge after swimming through.

The entrance should be by a slide.

Such a tank is very useful wherever hogs are kept in numbers, as frequent dipping tends to keep the hogs healthy and free from parasites.

Incubator No-Miracle Worker.

Do not expect your incubator, no matter of what make or of what cost, to perform impossibilities. Then see that your eggs to fill are fresh and have been well handled. Eggs should be from stock that is strong and vigorous and free from disease. One cannot expect good hatchings from eggs laid by hens that have been weakened by roup or kindred troubles.

Charcoal From Coals.

Charcoal is a health promoter for the fowls. If you will put some ears of corn in a hot oven and let them burn quite black and feed when the grain gets cold enough you will perhaps be astonished to see how greedily the poultry will partake of the charred corn. Give such a feed every two weeks.

Seeds From Alaska.

Alaska will some day provide farmers in lower altitudes with grain seeds superior to what they grow at home.

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SOLD IN TOWN

ERADICATE HOG LOUSE

Vigorous and Patient Treatment Is Required.

Blood-Sucking Parasites Cause Much Irritation of Skin—In Dipping Creosoline Is Better Than Lime and Sulphur.

(By N. S. MATO.)

The hog louse is a common parasitic pest on swine and one that requires vigorous and patient treatment to eradicate. The hog louse is one of the largest of the lice that attacks domestic animals. They are readily seen traveling about on the bristles, usually on the neck, back of the ears, moving with a peculiar sliding motion. The eggs or "nits" are small, white, oval bodies attached to the bristles. Hog lice may be found on almost any part of the animal's body, but are most common about the neck, ears and back of the elbow.

These are blood-sucking parasites and, by biting the hog and abstracting blood, they cause a good deal of irritation of the skin. The animal rubs on posts and other objects and the coat looks rough and harsh. The parasite and eggs are easily found upon examination. The parasites are transmitted from one animal to another by contact, or by contact with infected bedding or quarters.

Dipping the animals three or four times at intervals of ten days will usually free them from these parasites.

TO PREVENT CRACKED HEELS

Trouble May Be Avoided if Manure Is Not Allowed to Accumulate and Urine Is Drained.

(By DR. H. PRESTON KOSKINS, University Farm, St. Paul.)

Scratches, also called cracked heels or mud fever, can be prevented by careful stable management. Cases are rarely met with in well kept barns, but are often seen in dirty, poorly drained stables. Dryness and cleanliness of the floor of the stall are the two most important factors in the prevention of scratches.

Horses should not be allowed to stand in piles of manure and decomposing urine. These irritate and inflame the skin in the fold of the ankle just below the fetlock. The skin then becomes thickened, due to the inflammation and breaks or cracks in it appear and if allowed to go untreated the condition grows gradually worse.

The affected area grows larger, the cracks become deeper and the animal is in an unsightly and painful condition.

Owners of horses can prevent the trouble in the majority of cases by doing two things. Do not allow manure to accumulate behind your horses, and see that your stalls are so constructed that the urine will drain away promptly. If your horses show any tendency toward the condition apply a small amount of carbized vaseline, benzoinated lard, or zinc oxide ointment, well rubbed into the affected parts. These remedies will soften the skin and protect it from external moisture and irritating substances. During wet weather or when the roads and streets are muddy or slushy, extra precaution should be taken to prevent the condition. Do not wash cracked heels, as water and rubbing only aggravate the condition.

BENEFICIAL EFFECT OF LIME

Substance Improves Sandy Soils by Making Them More Compact and Retentive of Moisture.

(By B. H. HITE.)

Nothing in agricultural science or practice may be mentioned with more assurance than the beneficial effect of lime on easily puddled stiff clay soils. This is so nearly a matter of common knowledge, the wonder is that anyone will worry along with such soils year after year, and even from one generation to another, while the possible increase in yield in a single year will often pay for the necessary lime.

Lime may improve loose sandy soils by making them more compact and more retentive of moisture. For this purpose some form of carbonate of lime is usually recommended, and in much smaller quantities than for clay soils. Clay soils will stand more lime.

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THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1913.

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FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. Leo Fentress for clerk of the Muhlenberg County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John X. Taylor for clerk of the Muhlenberg County Court, subject to the action of the Citizens' party.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Robert Wickliffe for sheriff of Muhlenberg County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of James L. Bogges for sheriff of Muhlenberg county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Chas. E. Blackwell for sheriff of Muhlenberg County, subject to the action of the Citizens' party.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

We are authorized to announce Miss Amy M. Longest a candidate for superintendent of public instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Chas. W. Swofford for Jailer of Muhlenberg County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Simon P. Miller for Jailer of Muhlenberg County, subject to the action of the Citizens' party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. F. Doss for the Legislature to represent Muhlenberg county in the General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to action of the Citizen's party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Ed Frost for the Legislature to represent Muhlenberg county in the General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 2.

AFTER consulting her banker Japan may conclude that she has not been sufficiently insulted to require war.

NEW YORK has had seventy bomb explosions since Jan. 1 and no arrests. The dynamite trust should worry and declare a dividend.

Temperance Hall.

We notice in last week's issue of THE RECORD that the old Temperance Hall has been demolished. A house that once was part of the makeup of Greenville, and for many years was useful and ornamental to the town. It stood east of Main street, and where the Presbyterian church now stands. Its dimensions were about twenty five by seventy feet, a two-story frame building consisting of four rooms on the first floor for offices or for other purposes, in the second story was a hall and two anterooms. The house was well built and nicely arranged. This house was built by Edward R. Weir to furnish a hall and rendezvous for the "Sons of Temperance" an order that flourished in the county at that time. This house was built during the early 1850's, but soon afterwards the order of the "Sons of Temperance" died out, yet the house and hall remained suited for other purposes; the rooms on the first floor were used by lawyers and doctors and for business purposes. The hall on the second floor was used for gatherings, entertainments, receptions, shows and balls. Professor E. W. Hall taught two sessions of school in this building during the years of 1867 and '68. One of the most novel and undesirable occurrences that took place at the Temperance Hall that we remember was on one occasion during the 50's a dancing party was made up by some of the young people of Greenville and South Carrollton. They met at the Temperance Hall where they remained until late hours of the night. A while before adjourning time some mischievous person fastened a rope across the stairway and a little above the steps a short distance down from the upper landing. The stairway was at the south end of the building and the ascent commenced near the pavement, the ascent was rather steep, so when the adjournment of the dance took place a hasty rush was made for the stairway in high glee and the two first couples in making the descent were unexpectedly tripped and their precipitation was abrupt and rapid, they landing in a heap upon the pavement, experiencing a severe shake-up accompanied with bruises. The trick was discovered in time to prevent further disaster. The party that played the trick was unknown, but suspicion rested upon a certain young man who had failed to be invited to the dance. After the Temperance Hall building had served the people of Greenville for a number of years it was torn down in 1870 and removed to the Weir farm by Richard Elliott to be used for a tobacco house and stock barn, where it has stood until recently. The history of this old house, if it could be told no doubt would prove interesting, but the most of those that were associated with it have disappeared and but few remember its existence in Greenville.

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Notice to File Claims.
Persons having claims against the estate of N. A. Shurt, deceased, are hereby notified to present same, properly proven, to me for adjustment.
JNO. T. REYNOLDS, JR., Adm'r.

Pointed Paragraphs.

A man with lofty aims may be a poor shot.

It is a wise moonshiner that knows when to keep still.

There is always something to keep up the excitement.

All men are born equal to any amount of foolishness.

Many a cultivated voice fails to yield a profitable crop.

There are but few shade trees in the average man's field of labor.

When two women have different views they consider each other peculiar.

When the girl yawns it's the young man's cue to get into the home stretch.

You would probably be surprised if you knew how much good has come out of your mistakes.

There's a beautiful statue in every block of marble, but only an expert sculptor can make it come out.

And many a woman has married a man to reform him—because she discovered him before the fool killer found her.

An Ohio man boasts of having an umbrella that has been in his possession for more than twenty years. That's long enough; he ought to return it.

See Cecil Roark for sweet potato slips.

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June 5, 1912.
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Local Mention.

Cherries will soon be on the market.

June weddings are being announced at a lively rate.

Mr. J. S. Miller has been in Dawson Springs for ten days.

Trees were general and genuinely comfortable during the week.

Orien L. Roark was in Dawson Springs last Sunday.

Mr. Robert Bridges returned Saturday from a week's stay in Dawson.

Judge T. J. Sparks spent the latter part of the week at Dawson Springs.

WANTED—Roomers or boarders, or 3 rooms to rent to a small family. Mrs. G. M. Dexter, ff.

Mrs. W. C. Jonson and children are in Paducah on a visit to the family of Mr. W. A. Martin.

Miss Nina Stum, who has been in Atlanta a few weeks, returned home last Thursday.

Mr. Duncan Hamilton has returned from Lexington, where he spent the year in school.

McCracken does watch and jewelry repairs in best manner, and guarantees his service.

Fruits of all kinds, from present prospects, will be quite plentiful this year.

Mrs. Grace Seiler, of Madisonville, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. L. P. Moore.

Tomorrow is memorial day, and the graves of the old soldiers will be decorated. There will be no regular exercises this year.

This has been the most protracted blackberry winter we have had in many years, and we have never had a better prospect for the fruit, either.

Messrs. W. G. Crawford, Paul Wickliffe, C. W. Roark and Matt Wickliffe leave today for Indianapolis, where they will witness the 500-mile international auto race.

Sewing Machines Required.

If you have sewing machine repair work or adjusting, Frank Harris will be glad to have you call at Roark's store, and the work will be promptly and carefully executed.

Let Mac fix your clock—or watch, or jewelry. All work guaranteed.

See Mc for watch repair work.

Traveling Library.

The Traveling Library furnished by the State Library Commission has arrived and is located in the Y. M. C. A. building. The books are ready-for-free distribution to any resident of the County. There are a number of good and interesting titles in the lot for old and young. Come and make your selection.

Modern Home For Sale.

New 2-story, 9-room house, furnace heated, water, lights, bath, all modern conveniences; 200 yards from court house, on Cherry street; lot 100 foot front, two acres in plat; good young orchard, bearing. For particulars see or write

J. L. MORGAN, Greenville, Ky.

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Mrs. Harry McCracken, of Central City, was a guest of the family of Mr. H. C. McCracken the first of the week.

Mr. S. E. Miller and Miss Elsie Nanny, of Bevier, were married last Saturday, Rev. G. B. McDonald performing the ceremony in the store of McDonald & DeWitt.

Sewing Girls Wanted.

We need 200 more girls at once to make men's athletic underwear on power sewing machines. Nice clean work, light, well ventilated work rooms. Board in our modern Cambridge Court Cottages \$2.50 per week. Good wages, permanent positions. Board guaranteed from the start to beginners.

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Mr. S. L. Pittman and Miss Katie Oates, of Graham, were married here last Sunday afternoon at the home of Rev. G. B. McDonald, who performed the ceremony.

Ms. M. H. Tappin, of Central City, was here on business last Friday.

Coal Lands Wanted.

We have clients who want to buy Western Kentucky Coal from 10,000 acres up to 500,000 acres.

W. O. Headlee,
Waynesburg, Greene Co. Pa.

Houses-Rent.

Mr. Tom Miller will be married June 7 to Miss Agnes Monson, at Phoenix, Ariz. For some years Mr. Miller has resided in Phoenix, and his many friends of this his home town will be glad to learn of this important step. His bride-to-be is one of the attractive girls of her home city, and reports indicate that he has won a rich prize. They will occupy a new home, which is being furnished.

Mr. Bruce Fentress, of Central City, has been making frequent visits here with his new Regal car, the only underslung auto in this territory, and it is attracting greatest attention. Mr. Fentress went to the factory at Detroit and drove the car home, making the trip without an accident in less than three days.

Mary Elizabeth, a twelve pound girl, has been the center of attraction at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McCracken since her appearance Saturday morning.

Let Mac fix your clock—or watch, or jewelry. All work guaranteed.

See Mc for watch repair work.

Ed Frost Offers for Legislature.

After considering the matter for some time carefully, Mr. Ed Frost, of Central City, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Legislative representative from Muhlenberg. Many of the best men in his party, from all sections of the county, have offered their untiring support, and he enters the race with substantial prospects of winning the favor of his party. There are few more popular business men than Ed Frost as he has the confidence of the public in fullest measure, making and keeping friends by his upright, liberal methods and cheerful manner. He will make a thorough canvass, and will present his claims to voters of his party in the county of his birth and residence.

Death of Dewey Wynn.

Dewey, the 15-year-old son of Mrs. Sarah Frances Wynn, died at the home near Bancroft at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. For about a year he had been a sufferer from paralysis, and there had been no hope of his restoration to health. He was an extremely bright boy, gracious and clever, and had a host of friends. The body was carried to Christian county Monday and at 2:30 o'clock was laid to rest in the Wynn graveyard. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. The mother and family have the most sincere sympathy of all in their loss.

The Masonic banquet at the hall last Thursday night was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the year in fraternal circles. There was a large attendance of members and invited guests, the addresses were fine and highly enjoyable, while the music, decorations, refreshments, were all quite up to the mark.

J. F. Doss Announces.

Mr. J. F. Doss seeks the nomination for the office of representative in the Kentucky Legislature, subject to the action of the Citizens' party, and in this issue makes his announcement. There are few better known men than Frank Doss, as he is one of the county's leading farmers and most progressive citizens. For many years he was an active coal miner, and he has done much work among the farmers, organizing for better prices and planning increased production by proper cultivation and improvement in farm management. During the past few months he has been engaged in the real estate business in this city, and he is thoroughly conversant with Muhlenberg's dues and the need of her people. If his fellowmen should name and elect him to the office he would prove, worthy of the trust and honor, as he would devote himself to the work with untiring zeal.

Mr. J. C. Hayden, of Drakesboro,

was in town a day or two this week.

A Worthy Man Builds Good Roads.

Mr. James Eades, in the careful, constant and intelligent care he is giving his section of the highway from his home near Sharon to the city limits, is winning the praise of everyone who travels in that district. There is not another such stretch of road in the county. If we had a hundred such men our 600 miles of county roads would attract attention and land buyers from all over the country, and would do more to draw new citizens than all other boosting could possibly accomplish. Maximum loads can be hauled at minimum expenditure of time and energy, and the saving in time and money can hardly be computed. Mr. Eades has this work under contract, at a sum per mile per year, but he could not be more diligent if he were being paid by the day, as he gives extraordinary service, using brains with his energy, and his activities should attract other road contractors to take a look at his methods and results, and they would be compelled to go and do likewise.

Interest in Road Improvement.

There has never been such general, deep-rooted interest in highway improvement as is manifested now. People are realizing that bad roads are a constant, heavy tax, and there is a clamor that this clog be removed. Already we have moved up to the point where our highways are superior to those in our neighboring counties, and as the benefits of such roads are recognized, the demand for even further improvement is being made.

Resolutions of Respect.

Madeline Chapter 64, O. E. S. Greenville, Ky.; May, 21st 1913. Whereas: Sister Maud Pace has been called from our midst, and gone to the Grand Chapter above, and realizing that our loss is their eternal gain. Therefore be it resolved by this Chapter:

1 That in the death of sister Pace we have lost a faithful and useful member, whose presence and wise counsel was often a benediction in our meetings, and general conversations.

2 That we bow in humble submission to the will of our great commander, who doeth all things well, and extend our deepest sympathy to her bereaved husband and family, ever praying that God's richest blessings may attend her faithful husband and two children.

3 That a copy of these resolutions be presented to her husband, Judge R. O. Pace, and children, a copy printed in the Masonic Home Journal, and a copy spread upon the minutes of our record book.

W. D. Blackwell,
Mrs. Gertrude Morton,
Miss Laura Pittman,
Committee.

Personal Error and Efficiency Engineering.

It is the part of the scientific man to discover the truths of nature. But as there is nothing absolute, all his observations are necessarily more or less vitiated by errors. It is not enough for him to reduce these errors to a minimum. He must assure himself that he knows their nature, the order of their magnitude, and their influence upon the conclusions and operations which he bases upon his observations. All these points have received due attention, and a fairly complete "theory of errors" thus developed forms part of the stock-in-trade of every worker in the exact sciences.

But scientific observation and manipulation is merely a refinement of common every-day practice, and errors of observation and of operation play an important role in our daily pursuits also. How much a man's earning capacity and even life depends upon the perfect working of his sensor and limbs is often not realized by him until age, illness or accident has impaired it. Not only is there such a qualitative relation between a man's physical and mental well-being and his earning power, but accident and life insurance companies, as well as courts deciding actions for personal injury, find themselves confronted with the problem of establishing some quantitative estimate, however crude, of the value of a man's organs, their influence upon his earning capacity or "efficiency."

It would be a poor policy that should note only of the value of lost facilities. To the efficiency engineer more than any other person we owe it that our attention has been drawn to what might be termed "false motions," i. e., errors of operations, and their influence upon the efficiency of the industrial worker under normal conditions. And not merely qualitative, but quantitative studies, made with watch and camera, have furnished us a truly scientific groundwork on which to base improved manufacturing methods, to secure greatly increased efficiency. It is sometimes falsely supposed that the additional output thus harvested is the result of increased pressure placed upon the worker. If instances of this kind have occurred, they are contrary to the purpose which the originators of the movement for increased efficiency had in view: the output is to be increased, not by increasing the pressure of work, but by decreasing the resistance, by eliminating waste in lost motion and misplaced energy. Such increase in the output must result on the whole in a gain to the entire community; perhaps not always in a gain evenly distributed among all members of a community, but nevertheless, in a gain to all.

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From our limited knowledge and experience we conclude that but three things are necessary to enable a breeder to produce a herd of Durocs of reasonably similar type. We place these three things in the order of their importance, as ability, time, and money, writes the Northwest Agriculturist.

In the first place, the breeder must have a clearly defined ideal in his mind, of the type of hog he will try to produce before ability even will be of any service to him. And we are free to admit that as far as we know, this ideal hog has never made its escape in the flesh from the mind of any breeder as yet, leastwise we have never seen or heard of its having been at any of our shows.

With this ideal firmly fixed in his mind's eye, he is now ready to exercise his ability to find select animals of his ideal type and, secondly, to mate them so as to produce this type as nearly as possible.

That there are many, many persons engaged in the rearing of Durocs who lack this ability is painfully evident as one visits the various herds scattered abroad in the land. These persons can be divided into two classes—those who are just raising hogs to get as many and as large ones as they can, regardless of aught else, and who should be called "meat producers" only, while the other class, seemingly intent on maturing, so as to get as many high sounding names on one pedigree as possible, with the sole ambition of boasting things or making a high public sale average, with no regard to type or usefulness, can very properly be called speculators.

The true breeder is he who is ever working toward the desired end of producing the perfect or ideal type. He does not mate pedigrees, he mates type and lets the pedigrees take care of themselves, being fully aware that if he can produce the individual excellence the pedigree will be all right, however it may read.

No matter what his ability, the person just starting in to breed Durocs will find ample use for all the skill he may possess. With conditions as they are at present—almost as many different types as there are hogs—there is a great opportunity for the aspiring breeder to show what he can do.

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Rack Saves Feed.

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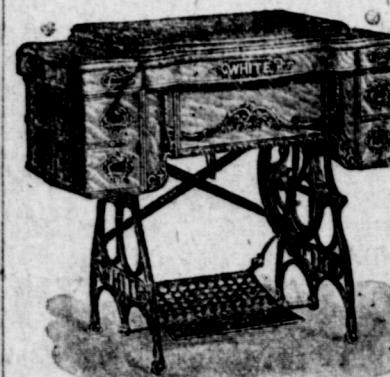
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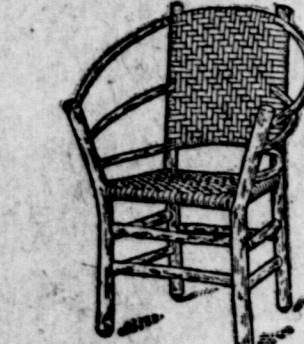
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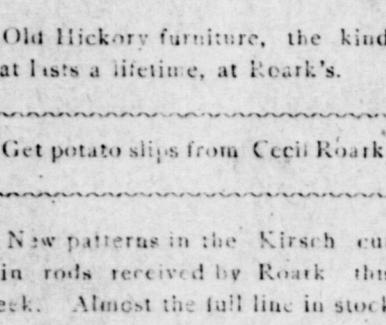


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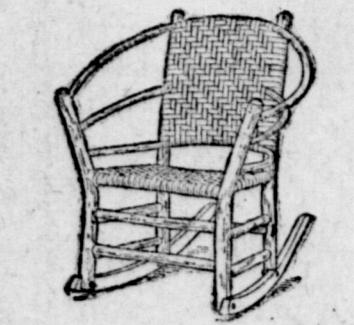
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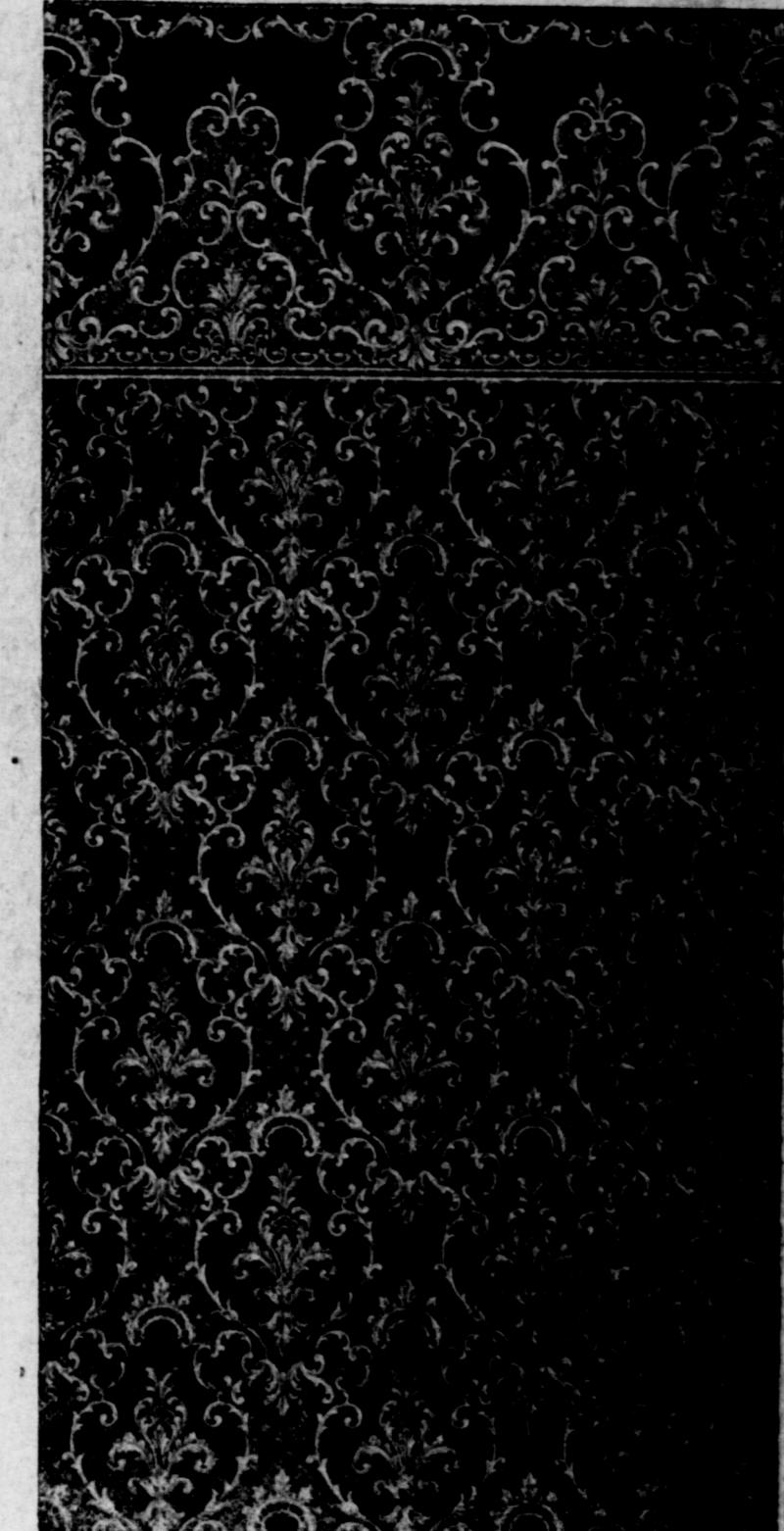
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